

TO HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS

Commission on Industrial Relations Makes Announcement.

WILL COVER UNITED STATES

Witnesses Competent to Speak for Employers and Employed Will Be Asked to Give Views and Suggestions.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—(Special).—Public hearings in important industrial centers from New York to San Francisco will be held during the spring and early summer by the United States commission on industrial relations.

This announcement was made today by Frank F. Walsh, chairman of the commission. The hearings, said Mr. Walsh, will embrace in their scope all the main divisions of the inquiry directed by congress.

Among the cities that probably will be visited are New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Paterson, Scranton, Pittsburgh, Buffalo, Wheeling, Charlotte, Greenville, Atlanta, Birmingham, Nashville, Louisville, New Orleans, Detroit, Indianapolis, Cleveland, Chicago, Houghton, Milwaukee, Madison, St. Louis, Kansas City, St. Paul, Denver, Trinidad, Dallas, Houston or Galveston, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Seattle, Butte and Lead.

Through examination of witnesses competent to speak for employers, trades unions, other labor organizations, unorganized employees and the general public, the commission hopes to obtain information concerning the industrial situation that will lead to constructive recommendations.

Subject of Inquiry.

Some of the subjects to be inquired into in each city are irregularity of employment; possibilities of ending irregularity and increasing production through scientific management; the activities of trades unions and employers' associations, and the extent and operation of governmental machinery for regulating the conditions of industry, including the relations between employers and employees.

Successful methods of maintaining harmonious relations beneficial to both employers and employees will be inquired into particularly, with a view to their adoption in other centers, where no such methods have been tried.

Eminent authorities in subjects to be included within the scope of the inquiry have joined the staff of the commission and are now aiding in planning the hearings.

Witnesses desired by the commission will be summoned under the authority granted it by congress, and volunteer testimony will be welcomed.

Announcing the plan for hearings, Chairman Walsh said:

"The commission will carefully avoid acting as a board of mediation and conciliation, and will not allow itself to be drawn into local controversies or recognize such controversies unless in doing so it can obtain information that has more than local and temporary significance.

All to Have Hearing.

"Every interest will be given a hearing. The commission will strive to put aside all bias and prejudice. It will urge others to do the same, in the hope that the industrial problem may be studied in the light of reason. The open spirit will be our watchword, and we shall endeavor to provide a forum where men representing all factions can meet in the common purpose of finding a way out from bitterness and strife. To accomplish this we shall need the co-operation and help of all concerned. We shall ask those who meet with us at the hearings to come not as employers or employees, but as men belonging to the same human family.

"The hearings are to be undertaken as one means of carrying out the instructions of congress to inquire into the industrial situation and to report our conclusions and recommendations.

"The commission wishes in particular to invite the help of every person who has a constructive suggestion. Such suggestions will be especially welcome when they are supplemented by testimony as to the successful carrying out of the ideas they embody."

According to present plans the hearings will begin the latter part of March.

A. F. BLEICK, NEBRASKA PIONEER, DIES AT BENSON

Adolph F. Bleick, aged 67 years, died at his home in Benson Friday evening after an illness of several months. His wife died about three years ago.

Mr. Bleick was an Omaha pioneer, coming to this locality before the war. After serving in the northern army for two and a half years he returned to Nebraska and engaged in farming several miles west of Benson. He retired about twenty years ago and has since made his home at 506 North Fifty-eighth street.

Two daughters, Mrs. Anna Collett, Benson, and Mrs. Clara Quinn, South Dakota, and one son, Frank A. Bleick, 469 North Twenty-fifth street, survive the deceased. Funeral services will be held at the home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Ringer of the Benson Lutheran church. Interment will be at Mt. Hope cemetery.

SENTENCE SUSPENDED FOR SAKE OF HIS FAMILY

Moses Gross, 415 South Eighteenth street, was arrested Saturday morning by Probation Officer Bernstein for selling tobacco to minors. Gross pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined \$50 and costs. The sentence was later suspended when it was learned that his wife was in the hospital and he had a family of six small children to look after. Gross was tried for selling tobacco to students of the Commercial High school.

STRAUSER AND GRAHAM GET CASE CONTINUED

K. Strauser, who was arrested as proprietor of the Lange hotel, Thirteenth and Jackson streets, Friday night, secured a continuance if hearing until next Thursday, as did Jack Graham, 1285 Farnam street, whose saloon was also visited by the police. Three women inmates of the Lange hotel appeared in police court and were fined \$25 and costs each, as was also one man inmate.

RUSSIAN CHIEF OF POLICE MURDERED BY SUBORDINATE

ST. PETERSBURG, March 7.—Lieutenant Colonel Chebaisoff, chief of police of St. Petersburg, was shot dead today in his office by a junior officer, Lieutenant Ivanoff. The motive for the crime was said to be vengeance.

Kayser Silk Bloomers at \$2.98

THE present style of dress for women brings into prominence Venetian silk-knit knickerbockers, as such garments do away with any additional fullness. Pink, black and white, elastic around waist and at knees. Price \$2.98

Sunday, March 8, 1914.

15,000 YARDS OF RICH NEW BLACK SILKS IN A STIRRING SALE HERE MONDAY

Around the Store

THERE is probably no news in this paper that is of more importance to you today than that published under our name. It's of the same great value to you every day. Make it a point to turn to this page (7) daily—it's published for your benefit as well as ours.

The next time you are in the store ask to see the new "FINKEX" HEBEL, found only in the "Onyx" Hosiery. It replaces the old, unattractive square spinning, gives a slim, graceful and elegant appearance to the ankle and retains all the advantages of the reinforcement.

ENTHUSIASM—As Webster defines it is "ardor of mind, fervent zeal, earnest devotion," that's exactly what you'll find bubbling forth from this entire organization—ENTHUSIASM, a spirit of loyalty and co-operation—the natural sequence is GREATER SERVICE to a GREATER NUMBER.

EAR DROPS are quite the style; our showing is very extensive, including combinations of sterling silver, pearls, gold, etc.; many unique designs and very modestly priced at the Jewelry section.

New "DRESS" BAGS, made of finest imported leathers with Pannier handles, shown at the leather goods section.

BURGESS-NASH CO.

A Silk Offering That Will Establish a New "High Water Mark" for Value Giving in Omaha--An Event You Cannot Afford to Overlook

GOOD FORTUNE certainly favored us when we picked up this great lot of black silks, for seldom, if ever, has there been such UNUSUAL VALUES as these offered and especially at the very beginning of the spring season.

There's a reason for the underpricing, of course, but what interests you most is the fact that the silks are here exactly as represented—every piece strictly first quality and that the values are of the unmatched sort.

If you have a black silk need (and what woman is there that has not) this is your one great opportunity. So come early Monday and make the best of it. Here's an idea:

- 85c and 89c Black Silk, 89c**  
In this lot we include such splendid silks as black messalines 24 inches wide, 24-inch black satin dutchess; 24-inch foulard silks and 27-inch black Jap silk; the usual 85c and 89c qualities; Monday, the yard **59c**
- \$1.25 and \$1.39 Black Silks, 89c**  
Some of the most favored weaves are included at this price, 27-in. black Surah, 27-in. black satin dutchess, 36-inch black messalines, 36-inch black peau de soie, 27-inch black silk serge and 36-inch chiffon taffeta; \$1.25 to \$1.39 qualities; Monday, the yard **89c**
- \$1.39 to \$1.50 Black Silk, 98c**  
Including such splendid weaves as black rough suiting silks 36 inches wide; 26-inch black Bengaline silks, 36-in. black peau de soie, 36-in. black corded silks and 42-in. black silk poplins; the usual \$1.39 and \$1.50 qualities; yd. **98c**
- Black Messalines.**  
Messaline silks, 19 inches wide, usual 59c quality, yd. **39c**
- Black Messalines.**  
Messaline silks, 36 inches wide, usual \$1.69 quality, yd. **\$1.19**
- Black Bengalines.**  
Bengaline suitings, 36 inches wide, usual \$2.00 quality, yd. **\$1.39**
- Black Messalines.**  
Messaline silks, 27 inches wide, usual \$1 quality, yd. **69c**
- Black Crepes.**  
Crimpled crepe, 42 inches wide, usual \$2.25 quality, yd. **\$1.39**
- Black Crepes.**  
Canton crepes, 42 inches wide, usual \$2.00 quality, yd. **\$1.49**
- Black Poplins.**  
Silk poplins, 26 in. wide, usual \$1 quality, yard. **79c**
- Crepe de Chines.**  
Black crepe de chines, 42 inches wide, usual \$2 quality, yard. **\$1.39**
- Black Dutchess.**  
Satin dutchess, 36 inches wide, usual \$1.50 quality, yard. **98c**
- Crepe de Chines.**  
Black, 42 inches wide, usual \$2.50 quality, yd. **\$1.75**
- Black Crepes.**  
Canton crepes, 42 inches wide, usual \$2.50 quality, yard. **\$1.75**
- Black Dutchess.**  
Satin dutchess, 36 inches wide, usual \$2.75 quality, yard. **\$1.89**
- Black Taffetas.**  
Chiffon taffeta, 26 in. wide, \$2.50 quality, yd. **\$1.98**
- Coating Silks.**  
Black coating silk, 42 inches wide, usual \$3.50 quality, yard. **\$2.19**
- Black Suitings.**  
Bengaline suitings, 36 inches wide, usual \$2.50 quality, yard. **\$1.79**

**UNUSUAL**

ITEMS advertised under the heading "Unusual" will receive the right to limit quantities and refuse to accept mail or phone orders.

- 75c Satin Pillow Tops, 29c
- Beautiful Persian, Oriental and floral designs; splendid range of selection, usual 75c value, choice Monday, Art Needlework section, each **29c**
- Alarm Clocks, 59c
- "America" alarm clocks, made by the maker of the "Big Ben," polished nickel cases, large dial with patent shut-off alarm, guaranteed for one year. **59c**
- Infants' 25c Hose, 23c
- Infants' fine quality silk and wool hose, in pink, blue and tan, the regular 25c quality, very special, Monday, main floor, at the pair **23c**
- Corsets for \$1
- An "Unusual" value; new, low bust, almost topless, finished with ribbon and lace, long skirt, free hip, hose supporters, \$1.50 quality **\$1.00**

**Winsome New Blouses Here for Spring at \$5.00**

REALLY charming creations and in such a variety of smart new models, too. The fact that these are all new models for the coming spring season gives assurance that every blouse is crisply fresh and immaculately clean—that they are especially low in price; take for instance:

- A pretty crepe de chine blouse, trimmed with bands of silk and cord finish bolero, a new shades of maize, peach, chartreuse and white, price **\$5.00**
- Another model in pussy willow taffeta, trimmed with hemstitching and plico edging, all the new shades at **\$5.00**

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.

**There's That Differentness in the Spring Suits Here That You Will Appreciate**

DIFFERENT—Yes, that best describes the styles of the coming season. The individuality of every garment is most noticeable—perhaps, it's the cut of the jaunty little jacket, the fancy hand-embroidered collar, the lace collar, the buttons in odd designs and harmonizing color or trimmings beautifully applied. There's a little touch of something that stamps the suits here as different from those shown elsewhere.

**The Tailored Suits at \$25.00**

WE have every reason to believe are the best for the money you can find in the city; we specialize on tailored suits at this price, featuring those "different" individual and distinctive styles, in such materials as poplins, serges, whip cords, moire silks, gabardines, etc., newest shades also black and white check.

**Other Smart Styles \$15 to \$89.50**

**The New Silk Frocks at \$25**

ARE indeed charming creations, featuring the newest ideas in figured and plain silks, such as taffetas and crepe de chines, made with the new blouse waists, plain and combination styles; the shades are pink, reseda, tan, wistaria, Copenhagen, navy, also black and white.

- Balmacaan Coats, \$15.00.
- The New Skirts, \$5.95.

BEAUTIFUL effects in plain white and plaid mixed materials, new sleeveless effect, one of the accepted styles for spring.

INCLUDE the prettiest models imaginable, made of all wool French serges, tunic styles, black and navy blue.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.



**Let Us Repair Your Old Watch for You**

MONDAY we will take orders for the repairing of watches at a price far below that asked by any other watch maker and at the same time we will guarantee our work for one year. Look around the house today and gather up the watches that are out of order, bring them in Monday to our watch repair man at the Jewelry section and we will repair them for you at the following prices—

- Watch Cleaned for 50c.
- New Main Spring, 50c
- New Jewel for 50c
- New Crystal for 10c.

Burgess-Nash Company—Main Floor.

**Oh! Such Lovely Hats in This Sale at \$10.00**

MONDAY we will have our first sale of spring millinery. It's an unusual thing at this time of the season, but realizing the great demand for hats at \$10 we decided to offer you a range of selection such as will set the whole city talking.

For the past ten days or two weeks our workroom has been turning out new models of an individual, distinctive and exclusive nature—values that you will marvel at when you see \$10

Beautiful new ideas expressed in trimmings of flowers, ostrich, ribbons, etc.—creations that are the equal of hats shown elsewhere at \$12.50 to \$15 here Monday at **\$10.00**

NOTE—Miss Little and Miss Evans of our sales force have returned from the coast with many new ideas for their customers and will be pleased to see you.

Burgess-Nash Co.—Second Floor.

**Garbage Cans**

HEAVY galvanized quality, five lots—

- 8-gallon cans, regular price 79c, for **65c**
- 10-gallon cans, regular price 89c, for **75c**
- 12-gallon cans, regular price 95c, for **85c**
- 16-gallon cans, regular price \$1.50, for **\$1.19**
- 20-gallon cans, regular price \$1.75, for **\$1.39**

Burgess-Nash Co.—Basement.

**MONDAY IN THE ECONOMY BASEMENT SALESROOM**

- 10c Flaxons, 11c.
- Genuine registered Flaxons, plain and dainty weaves, exquisite colorings and dainty patterns.
- 25c Wash Goods, 15c.
- De Navarre Crepes and Rice Cloth, exclusive new patterns in beautiful colorings.
- 10c Crepes at 6 1/2c.
- Pretty new Crepes, floral patterns on light back grounds.
- 8 1/2c Muslin, 10 Yards, 55c.
- Splendid yard wide bleached muslin, 10-yard limit to each buyer.
- 25c Silk Ribbons, 14c.
- Silk taffetas and messaline ribbons, woven patterns, beautiful new colorings, 25c quality, yard. **14c**
- 23c Crepes, 12 1/2c.
- New pieces of Imperial Crepes, dainty, pretty colorings and patterns, 23c quality, yard, 12 1/2c.
- 39c Sheets at 31c.
- White bleached Bed Sheets, size 72x90, limit 6 to one customer.
- \$1.50 Pumps at 95c.
- Women's black velvet pumps, flexible sole, high heel, sizes 3 to 7.
- \$3.00 Pumps at \$1.95.
- Women's new spring patent leather and gun metal pumps, sizes 3 to 7.
- Women's \$3.50 Shoes at \$1.95.
- Patent leather and gun metal shoes, all the newest heel and toe shapes.
- \$1.25 Comfort Shoes, 80c.
- Women's comfort house shoes, flexible soles, plain and medium wide tip toes, low rubber heels, elastic at sides.
- Inverted gas lights, complete with burner, mantle and globe, Monday, for **35c**
- Gas mantles, the "Lindsay Tungensten, the usual 30c quality, each **19c**
- Gas lights, upright, complete with globe, burner and mantle, **25c**
- 40c value, Monday **25c**
- Inverted light with double adjusting burner, complete with mantle, \$1.00 value **79c**
- \$13.00 Dressers at \$8.75.
- Golden oak dressers, solid top and front, well finished, 2 roomy drawers, formerly \$13.00, sale price **\$8.75**
- \$10.00 Iron Beds at \$5.98.
- Full size iron beds, Veris Martin finish, formerly \$10.00, for **\$5.98**
- \$6.50 iron bed, full size, white enamel, **\$4.75**
- \$1.75 iron bed, full size, Veris Martin, **\$2.75**
- \$7.25 golden oak rocker, wood seat, wire fabric, formerly \$10.00, to close **98c**
- \$6.00 Rockers at \$4.25.
- Mahogany finish rocker, wood saddle seat, high back, formerly \$6.00, to close out **\$4.25**
- \$5.00 high back oak rocker **\$2.25**
- \$12.00 oak rocker, upholstered seat and back, **\$9.00**
- \$3.00 figured oak rocker, wood seat, **\$2.50**
- \$7.25 golden oak rocker, wood seat, **\$5.25**
- Golden Oak Buffets, \$7.98.
- Three patterns, formerly priced at \$12.50, \$14.50 and \$16.40; well made and well finished, your choice, one price, **\$7.98**

The Second Week of This Great CLOSING OUT SALE of FURNITURE Brings Values As Great as On the Opening Day---Don't Miss These

AS FAST as the various pieces on the floor are sold others take their places from the reserve warehouse and in some instances prices have received an additional cut. The range of selection and the values for the second week are just as great as at the very beginning of the sale. Every piece must go—furniture for every room in the house at SAVINGS RANGING FROM 1/4, 1/3 TO 1/2 THE REGULAR SELLING PRICE.

**Closing Out Dining Tables at \$6.95**

- 32-inch round top pedestal tables, 6-ft. extension, in golden oak and fumed oak; formerly \$10.50 and \$12.00; on sale Monday at **\$6.95**
- 46-inch square top tables, golden oak, 6 and 8-ft. extension, formerly \$13.00 to \$15.00, Monday's sale price **\$8.95**
- 42-inch round top pedestal tables, 6-ft. extension, golden oak and fumed oak, formerly \$10.50 to \$12, sale price **\$6.95**
- 46-inch square top tables, 6-ft. extension, formerly \$13.00 to \$15.00, sale price **\$8.95**

**White Bed Room Furniture. \$5.98**

- Formerly \$11.50, sale price **\$5.98**
- \$22 White Enamel Chiffoniers **\$15.25**
- \$26 White Enamel Dressers **\$19.50**
- \$18 White Enamel Chiffoniers **\$12.75**
- \$21 White Enamel Dressers **\$15.00**
- \$15 White Enamel Chiffoniers **\$10.75**
- \$18 White Enamel Dressers **\$13.00**
- \$15 White Enamel Dressing Tables **\$ 9.98**

**89c Brush and Comb Cases, 39c.**

Made of maple with 2 shelves and mirror door, suitable for kitchen or small bathroom, formerly **39c**

28c, to close **39c**

**81.98 Plate Racks, 79c.**

Solid golden oak, three shelves, strongly made, formerly **79c**

\$1.98, sale price **79c**

**Child's \$1.50 Rockers, 75c.**

Reed Rockers, made strongly without arms, formerly \$1.50, the same pattern at, each **50c**

**Golden Oak Buffets, \$7.98.**

Three patterns, formerly priced at \$12.50, \$14.50 and \$16.40; well made and well finished, your choice, one price, **\$7.98**



Burgess-Nash Co.—Everybody's Store—16th and Harney.